26 June 1969

## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 26 June 1969	
The Director is in Europe. Acting Director was in the chair.	
DD/I rendered a negative Task Force	25X1
Godfrey provided General Cushman with a copy of a recent memorandum on the situation in the Sudan with the observation that it is not being circulated outside the Agency.	
Godfrey noted the completion of a wrap-up memorandum, Results of the World Communist Conference, and General Cushman noted that it will receive normal distribution.	
Carver noted that he will be seeing Secretary Laird today.	
Carver reported that he received press inquiries from Joe Alsop and Chalmers Roberts for inputs to stories being done on the Vietnam pipeline/infiltration. He noted that he declined to brief on these matters.	
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Maury asked who is keeping important newspaper clips for the Director's information upon his return, and EA/DDCI acknowledged that this is his task.

DD/S&T recalled that he had been invited to sit in on DIA briefings of Dr. Foster and that he attended the first such briefing yesterday.

DD/S&T briefed on his session with Paul Nitze yesterday and
commented that any earlier information that Mr. Nitze had some
problem with the Memorandum to Holders of NIE 11-8 was simply
not true, since he did not read the paper until yesterday. His interest
was to discuss the SALT talks. Upon reading the Memorandum to
Holders, he commented that it gave him no problem and that he now
understands the issues.

Executive Director noted that we appear to be over the hump on the RDC problem, thanks to the efforts of OGC and others. He added, however, that there may be some slight slippage in fully meeting the 1 July deadline. Executive Director briefed on the funding arrangements and commented that we may now examine SWITCHBACK in detail so as to avoid the Director's being in the position of facilitating passage of funds but being unable to audit same.

Executive Director noted that next Monday is the last day of the fiscal year and asked that all candidates for year-end funding be placed on his desk hopefully by the close of business today. In response to General Cushman's question Executive Director briefed on our obligation procedures, and General Cushman noted that they are quite different from those he was acquainted with in his DOD experience.

L. K. White

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